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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: Air Force Support of Agency Requirements

REFERENCES: (a) Letter to Office of Central Reference, CIA, from DCS/Foreign Technology, AFSC, dated 9 July 1962
(b) HN 60-2, subject: "Coordination of Visits Between CIA and Air Force Systems Command," dated 21 August 1962

1. The Air Force, through the TAB-6 Office, Hdqs. USAF, stated in a letter to the Director of Logistics dated 19 February 1965 that on several recent occasions Agency personnel were making direct contact with the Air Force Systems Command to obtain support of the type normally provided through TAB-6 channels. As a result of these contacts, there were security and reimbursement problems. It was requested that the matter be looked into and the Air Force advised of the action taken by the Agency to preclude recurrence.

2. In discussing this problem with [redacted] OCR Liaison Staff, and Mr. John F. Blake, EO/DD/SMT, the most interested parties, it was determined that there was no direct evidence that TAB-6 procedures or channels had been violated in the light of reference (a). Accordingly, [redacted] OL/PS, met informally with Lt. Col. Christensen, TAB-6 Office, Hdqs. USAF, to discuss the problem raised in this letter and its relationship to the previously authorized channel to the Air Force Systems Command. Until this discussion, Col. Christensen was not aware of this second channel into the Air Force and agreed that this fact had not been considered at the time the letter was written. Therefore, it was felt that in the best interests of all concerned, the letter should be withdrawn without action on the part of the Agency. This procedure was agreed to and the letter was withdrawn on 12 March 1965.

USAF review(s)
completed.

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